
Subject: Re: Any news on a new kernel branch?

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That no one with any authority has yet to comment on this issue and the recent discovery of an apparently serious kernel bug (See http://linux.slashdot.org/story/09/11/04/0320254/Bug-In-Most-Linuxes-Can-Give-Untrusted-Users-Root?art_pos=1) is deeply concerning. If anyone can address this with any authority, please do so, or I'm going to reconsider using OpenVZ for any further deployment. It's not like there are no viable alternatives. I was delighted to discover how easy Sun's VirtualBox installed on Ubuntu.

Don't get me wrong, I've been a very vocal advocate for OpenVZ for a while now, but this lack of any response to a valid question had me concerned that OpenVZ might be going down the tubes. I'm not a fan of riding dying horses.

Jim.
